

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable reconsideration of this application in view of the above amendments and following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-3 and 12-19 are pending in this application. By this amendment, Claims 21-26 are canceled; and no claims are added or amended herewith. It is respectfully submitted that no new matter is added by this amendment.

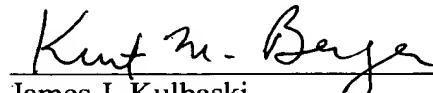
In the outstanding Office Action, Claims 21-26 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(e) as anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 7,028,102 to Larsson; and Claims 1-3 and 12-19 were indicated as allowed.

By the present amendment, rejected Claims 21-26 are canceled. Accordingly, no further issues are believed to be outstanding in the present application, and the present application is believed to be in condition for formal allowance. A Notice of Allowance for Claims 1-3 and 12-19 is earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner deem that any further action is necessary to place this application in even better form for allowance, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned representative at the below listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

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